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In re Application of:

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petitions for a three month extension of time in which to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application mailed July 25, 2001, for which a two month response period expiring on September 25, 2001 was set. The extended period expires on December 25, 2001.

A check for \$920.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a three month extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Respectfully submitted,

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